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Public Safety and Security Committee Legislative Office Building Room 3600 Hartford, CT 06106

Dear Senator Larson, Representative Dargan, Members of the Committee;

I wish to voice my SUPPORT of: Raised H.B. No. 5409 'AN ACT CONCERNING APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A TEMPORARY STATE PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR A REVOLVER'

I SUPPORRT a statewide uniform criteria for temporary carry permits. It is unreasonable to have different requirements for residents of different towns.

A similar bill was raised in 2012, H.B. No. 5245 'AN ACT CONCERNING THE APPLICATION REQUIREMENTS FOR A TEMPORARY STATE PERMIT TO CARRY A PISTOL OR REVOLVER'

In 2012, this bill was **Unanimously** voted Joint Favorable out of this committee and also **Passed the House Unanimously**. Unfortunately, this bill was never called in the Senate chambers.

I ask that this committee once again report this bill, H.B. No. 5409, joint favorable.

I truly thank you for the opportunity to submit my written testimony and for your time.

Sincerely, Ray Bevis Wolcott, CT 06716